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For the ninth consecutive year the senior class of Ellendale High School is publishing the Microphone. It brings to the attention of parents and patrons some of the many activities of the school. For students and particularly for the seniors it serves as a medium of recounting and preserving many of the happy and meaningful events with which their school life is crowded.

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Graduation Exercises

Wednesday, June 2, 8:15 p. m.

Processional March - Our Director (F. E. Bigelow)
..... High School Band
K. Orlando Lee, Director
Presentation of Colors Scouts of Troop 32
Selection - American Patrol (F. W. Meacham) ----
..... High School Band
Invocation
Selections: Waltz of the Flowers (Tschaikowsky)
Comin' Through The Rye Mixed Chorus
Martha Buck, Director
Address - "What's Commencing"
..... The Hon. Van Buren Perry
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Presentation of Class Minnie C. Onsrud
Conferring of Diplomas A. R. Amphlett
President, Board of Education
America All

Senior Church Service

Sunday, May 30, 8:00 p. m.

Processional Martha Buck
Hymn - "Holy, Holy, Holy" All
Scripture Reading and Prayer
Prayer (Lwoff-Wick) Boys' Chorus
Hark the Vesper Hymn is Stealing Girls' Chorus
Built on a Rock the Church Doth Stand Mixed Chorus
Martha Buck, Director
Sermon: One-Talent Disciples Rev. H. R. Senecal
Pastor, Ellendale Presbyterian Church
Hymn - Faith of Our Fathers All
Benediction
Now The Day Is Over Chorus and Audience
Recessional Martha Buck

In Retrospect

We who are graduating have reached an important milestone. As we look back on the road we have traveled, we have lasting memories of meeting classmates—strangers then; old friends now. We have lived and we have learned.

Until now, the road we have followed has been pointed out, and we have traveled together. Before us lies a long stretch upon which each individual must chart his own course. As we each go on our separate ways, we must live up to the guiding principles that our parents and teachers have imparted to us. We must strive to set a course with high ideals and a definite purpose.

We, the Seniors of '43, are happy to graduate; yet, we have regrets, for never will all of us be together again. The armed services will claim many of our number, and others will be scattered. Even so, our commencement isn't the last milestone in life's drama; it is the traveling of a new road with new friends, new experiences, and new opportunities. And in all these, we should let loyalty be our dominant guiding spirit—loyalty to our school, to ourselves, to high principles, and loyalty to our country and to our Eternal Father.—A. N.

Class of 1943



Top row—K. Hess, R. Aberle, L. Klatt, B. Graham, E. Kuch, M. Steinwand, R. Merkel, M. Sukut, H. Stucker. Third row—R. Beecher, N. Johnson, L. Lynde, F. Bauer, D. Zinter, R. Graham, O. Amphlett, M. Nelson. Second row—M. Carlson, Avis Naze, I. Watkins, K. Hess, E. Sand, L. Mellang, V. Strand. Front row—L. Hill, D. Strand, A. Watkins, M. Noess, D. Vasvick, L. Mattheis.

SENIOR SKETCHES

RAYMOND ABERLE - "Reiny"

*"Quietly and calmly he comes and goes;
He never expresses all he knows."*

Football, 3; Basketball, 2; Track, 2-3; Class Secretary-Treasurer, 4; Keystone Society, 3.

OWEN AMPHLETT - "Windy"

"Stand back and make room for a man."

Football, 1-2; Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Choral Festival, 1-2-3; Band, 1-2-3-4; Band Festival, 2-3; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Sadie of the U. S. A." 3; "Liberty and Union," 2-3; Hi-Y, 2-3; Hi-Y Secretary-Treasurer, 3; Cheerleader, 4; Typist, "Cardinal," 4; Ballet Troupe, 2-3; Keystone Society, 4; Victory Corps, "Sea Service," 4.

FRANCIS BAUER - "Bowsie"

"Not everyone can blush as easy as I can."

Football, 2-3; Basketball, 2-3; Track, 3-4; Victory Corps, 4.

RUTH BEECHER - "Dude"

"She laughs her way through life."

Class Reporter, 2; Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Chorus, 1-4; Pep Squad, 2-3-4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; "Sadie of the U. S. A." 3; "Victory Home," 4; Cheerleader, 4; Victory Corps, 4; Student Council, 3; Cardinal Staff, 4.

MURIEL CARLSON - "Blonde"

"Loves and is loved."

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; "Sadie of the U. S. A." 3; "Victory Home," 4; Cheerleader, 4; Cardinal Staff, 4; Pep Squad, 2-3-4; Victory Corps, 4.

BENJAMIN GRAHAM - "Bennie"

*"Nothing interferes with my education,
not even studies."*

Football, 2-3-4; Basketball, 2-3-4; Glee Club and Chorus, 2-3-4; Choral Festival, 2-3; "That Crazy Smith Family," 1; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Sadie of the U. S. A." 3; Speech Festival, Oakes, 3; Hi-Y, 2-3; Scout, 1-2.

RANDALL GRAHAM - "Smelly"

"Give me a romance or give me death."

Football, 2-3-4; Basketball, 2-3; Track, 3; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; Class President, 3; Hi-Y, 2-3; Boys' State, 3; "Victory Home," 4; Student Council, 4; Honor Athlete, 4; Star Scout.

KENNETH HEINE - "Heine"

*"We never knew such a young body with
such an old head."*

Glee Club, 1-2-4; Chorus, 1-4; Choral Festival, 1; Band, 1-2-3-4; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; Track, 1-2-3-4; Student Athletic Manager, 4; Victory Corps, "Air Service," 4.

KENNETH HESS - "Kenny"

"When it comes to intellect, size means little."

Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Scout, 1; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Victory Home," 4; Class President, 2; Secretary-Treasurer, 3; Masonic Oratorical, 3; Keystone Society, 3; Track, 1-2; Feature Editor, Cardinal, 4; Savings Stamps Sales, 3-4; Victory Corps, Air Service, 4.

EDDIE KUCH - "Cookie"

"I don't like girls - anymore."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Choral Festival, 1-2-3; Track, 2-3-4; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; Victory Corps, Sea Service, 4.

LORRINE HILL - "Lorry"

*"Shall I wasting in despair die because a
man is there?"*

Basketball, 2-3-4; G.A.A., 2-3-4; Pep Squad, 4; Speech Program, 4; First Aid Class, 4; Victory Corps, 4.

LOWELL KLATT - "Klatt"

*"I believe in education but I am not a book-
worm."*

Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Football, 1-2-4; Baseball, 1-2-3; Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4.

NORMA JOHNSON - "Blondie" "Johnny"

"She will if she wants to, but oh, if she don't!"

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Chorus, 4; Pep Squad, 2-3-4; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Sadie of the U. S. A." 3; Speech Program, 4; Associate Editor Cardinal, 4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; Victory Corps, 4; First Aid Class, 4.

LLEWELLYN LYNDE - "Lew"

*"Give me the moonlight, give me the girl,
And leave the rest to me."*

Glee Club and Chorus, 2-3-4; Hi-Y, 2-3; Class Secretary-Treasurer, 2; Student Athletic Manager, 2.

Junior Class



Front row—E. Speidel, M. Pfeifer, L. Strand, K. Sehnert, E. King, A. Kosel, P. Johnson, J. Gessner, Miss Minnie C. Onsrud (Advisor). Second row—R. Tuchscher, E. West, V. Jerke, E. Davis, D. Schmidt, S. Sharp, B. Ackerson, V. Ruekauf, M. Durheim. Third row—A. Klipfel, G. Schmidt, B. Ortnier, F. Tuchscher, P. Christensen, S. Neer, A. Bauder, O. Bauder. Last row—K. Muske, F. Gibson, O. Morrow, B. Randall, C. Mattheis, A. Cook, R. Coleman.

SENIOR SKETCHES

LYNETTE MATTHEIS - "Nettie"

"Only weeds grow tall."

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Chorus, 3-4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Sadie of the U. S. A.," 3; "Victory Home," 4; Student Council, 3; Editor Cardinal and Cardinal Typist, 4; Pep Squad, 4; Defense Stamps Sales, 3-4; Victory Corps, 4; Keystone Society, 4.

ROY MERKEL - "Merk"

"Now really, it's hard for me to talk."

Basketball, 2-3; Track, 2-4; "Liberty and Union," 1; Victory Corps, "Air Service," 4.

LAURENCE MELLANG

"A studious fellow, and more, too."

Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; "Victory Home," 4; Basketball, 1; Victory Corps, 4.

AVIS NAZE - "A"

*"Just a friend through all our days,
Just a girl with pleasant ways."*

Band, 1-2-3-4; Band Festival, 2-3; Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Choral Festival, 1-2-3; G.A.A., and Pep Squad, 1-2-3-4; Scout, 1-2; "Liberty and Union," 1; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; Class Reporter, 3; Editor, Cardinal, typist, 4; Victory Corps, 4; Student Council Secretary, 4; "Victory Home," 4; District Winner, Masonic Essay Contest, 4; Keystone Society, 4.

MELVIN J. NELSON - "Joe"

"The world knows nothing of its greatest men."

Scout, 1-2-3 (Star Rank); "Liberty and Union," 1-2; "Victory Home," 4; Victory Corps, "Sea Service," 4.

MARJORIE NOESS - "Marge"

"Not what I would, but what I should."

Glee Club, 3-4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; "Sadie of the U.S.A.," 3; Pep Squad, 4.

ERVIN SAND - "Sands"

"Not lazy, just taking a rest."

Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Football, 2-3-4; Hi-Y, 2-3.

DOROTHY JEAN STRAND - "Dot"

"Studies are not her only worries."

Declamation, 1; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; Glee Club, 2-3-4; Chorus, 4; "Sadie of the U. S. A.," 3; G.A.A., 3-4; Pep Squad, 3-4; Senior Speech Program, 4; Associate Editor, Cardinal, 4; "Victory Home," 4; Victory Corps, 4.

VICTOR H. STRAND - "Wicks"

*"I ought to have my own way in everything
and what's more, I will."*

Football, 1-2-3-4; Basketball, 2-3-4; Track, 2-3-4; Band, 1-2-3; Glee Club and Chorus, 1-2-3-4; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Lucky Lucy," 3; "Victory Home," 4; Hi-Y, 2-3; Boys' State, 3; Rhythm Kings, 3-4; Honorary Football Captain, 4; Student Council, 4; Class President, 4; U.S.N.R. Aviation Cadet, 4; Victory Corps, 4.

HAROLD STUCKER - "Stitch"

"I may be small, but so was Napoleon."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Track, 2-3-4; Band, 1-2-3-4; Band Festival, 2-3; Glee Club, 2-3-4; Chorus, 2-4; "Liberty and Union," 1-2; "Victory Home," 4; Rhythm Kings, 3-4; Hi-Y, 2-3; Keystone Society, 4; Victory Corps, "Air Service," 4.

MARTIN STEINWAND - "Fink"

"I'll take my life easy and live till I die."

Football, 1-2-3; Basketball, 1-2-3; Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Track, 1-2-3; Hi-Y, 3; Victory Corps, "Sea Service," 4.

MARVIN SUKUT - "Sukey"

"Stand back, girls, don't rush me."

Football, 2; Track, 2; Victory Corps, 4.

DORIS VASVICK - "Doe"

"A giggle is worth a thousand groans in my market."

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Chorus, 4; Pep Squad, 4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; "Junior Buys a Car," 2; "Victory Home," 4; Cardinal Staff, 4; Girls' Speech Program, 4; Victory Corps, 4.

ARDYTH WATKINS - "Red"

"Quiet at times but she does not have red hair for nothing."

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; Feature Editor, Cardinal, 4; Pep Squad, 4; "Victory Home," 4.

INEZ WATKINS

"It's only a freckle, never mind it."

Glee Club, 1-2-3-4; G.A.A., 1-2-3-4; Pep Squad, 4.

DELVIN ZINTER

"He puts his best efforts into everything he does."

Glee Club, 1-3; Chorus, 1; Football, 1; "Liberty and Union," 1; Flying Ballet, 1-2-3; Keystone Society, 4; Victory Corps, Production Service, 4.

Sophomore Class



Front row—J. Duncan, V. Huber, D. Whelan, B. Mallon, J. Blumer, A. Voegeli, S. Wanttie, S. Hol-singer. Second row—M. Brouillard, S. Voegeli, M. Hokana, B. Bowman, D. Mattheis, E. Zinter, V. Murray, Miss Martha Buck (advisor). Third row—M. Weitala, L. Sand, L. Jenkins, N. Smith, L. Gebhardt, A. Guyott, E. Fleming, W. Beck, N. Hermansen. Last row—L. Klatt, L. Houghton, O. Gehring, B. Dillingham, H. Senecal, J. Roland, C. Fey, B. DeYapp.

SPEECH AND DRAMATICS

Speech and dramatic work, under the direction of Miss Minnie Onsrud, began early last fall with the senior girls' speech night and ended with the senior play on April 8. Miss Margaret Williams, Miss Josephine Wyckoff, and Miss Martha Buck assisted with make-up, staging, and music, respectively.

Senior Girls' Speech Program

This program was held on Thursday evening, November 5, in the high school auditorium, and was under the direction of Miss Minnie Onsrud. Miss Eleanor Gessner coached a one-act play. The following numbers were presented:

- Oratory—The Flag (Robert Ingersol) Lorraine Hill
- Story Telling—The Real Princess (Hans Christian Anderson) Muriel Carlson
- A Law Code Trilogy—Ardyth Watkins, Marjorie Noess, and Doris Vasvick
- Girls' Glee Club—When Johnny Comes Marching Home, and To Music (Schubert)
- Humorous Reading—Over the Bannister (Carolyn Wells) Lynette Mattheis
- Hoosier Dialect—Griggsby's Station (James Whitcomb Riley) Inez Watkins
- Scandinavian Dialect—Han's Hundred Dollars (Doane Robinson) Norma Johnson
- Verse Reading—Opportunity (Edward Rowland Sill) One, Two, Three (H. C. Bunner), The Unexpected (Will J. Lampton) Dorothy Strand
- Negro Dialect—Hymn (Paul Lawrence Dunbar), Encouragement (Dunbar) Avis Naze
- One-Act Play—Meet the Countess (Jessie M. Bowler) Dorothy Strand, Lynette Mattheis, Avis Naze, Ruth Beecher, Norma Johnson, and Muriel Carlson

Junior Class Play

A rollicking comedy of youth, pathos and laughter, "Almost Eighteen" was given January 28, at the high school gymnasium by the junior class of Ellendale high school.

Included in the cast of characters were:

- William Barry, Eddie's dad.....Billy Randall
- Grace Barry, his mother.....Louise Strand
- Beatrice, his daughter.....Judith Gessner
- Mabel Warren, a music teacher.....Phyllis Christensen
- Mrs. Granville of the Women's Club.....
-Beverly Ortnor
- Eddie, almost eighteen.....Robert Coleman
- George, who has a philosophy.....Keith Sehnert
- Ann, Eddie's ideal.....Virginia Reukauf
- Tommy, a friend of Eddie's.....Francis Gibson
- Sally, one of the crowd.....Dorothy Schmidt
- Miss Dalrymple, also a club woman.....
-Phyllis Johnson
- Mr. Merritt, a professor.....Arthur Cook

Senior Class Play

On April 8, the seniors presented "Victory Home" by Dana Thomas. The play was an up-to-the-minute comedy of America at war filled with mirthful situations, today's problems, and today's challenges.

The following cast efficiently filled their roles:

- Charles Hargrove, an American father.....
-Victor Strand
- Edith Hargrove, Hargrove's wife who boasts of a Mayflower lineage.....Ruth Beecher
- Pauline, the youngest in the family.....
-Lynette Mattheis

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High School Chorus



Choral Music

Recognizing the value of singing as a morale builder, the Glee Club and Chorus work continued this year in both junior and senior high school. These activities were organized in the fall under the capable direction of Miss Martha Buck, music instructor.

The boys' and girls' glee clubs have assisted on various programs throughout this year. At Christmas, the annual concert was presented. The glee clubs, mixed chorus, and upper grade and intermediate grade choruses combined to present the program of Christmas music. This year the scripture was read by Gladys Schmidt and Dorothy Schmidt. The program consisted of the following selections:

O Come All Ye Faithful.....	Brass Choir & Chorus
Silent Night.....	All
The Christmas Story.....	Two Girls
Away in a Manager	
Christmas Carol.....	3rd and 4th Grades
Christmas Hymn	
Christmas Joy.....	5th and 6th Grades
Angels From the Realms of Glory	
Gloria in Excelsis Deo.....	All
O God of Love, O God of Peace.....	7th Grade Group
Christmas Chorale	
Cheribim Song.....	H. S. Chorus
I Heard The Bells On Christmas Day	
Cantique De Noel.....	H. S. Chorus
O Come All Ye Faithful.....	Recessional

Accompanists for the program were Gladys Schmidt and Mrs. Kenneth Wahl. Miss Martha Buck and Mrs. Kenneth Wahl directed the program. Decorations were taken care of by Miss Margaret Williams and Mr. Chester Seivert.

The Glee Clubs combined their efforts to present a concert in the high school auditorium on May twentieth. Mr. Hywell C. Rowland was present and directed most of the numbers. The other selections were directed by Miss Buck.

The following program was presented:

Built on a Rock the Church Doth Stand arr. Uggen	
Ave Verum.....	Mozart
	Mixed Chorus
Prayer	Lwoff-Wick
Without a Song - from "Great Day".....	Youmans
I Dream of Jeannie.....	Foster
Pirates' Song.....	Freeman High
	Boys' Glee Club
On Wings of Song.....	Mendelssohn
Hark! The Vesper Hymn is Stealing.....	arr. Manney
Old Smokey.....	arr. Barthelson
Oh Dear, What Can The Matter Be?.....	Howarth
	Girls' Glee Club
Waltz of the Flowers.....	Tschaikowsky
I Love Life.....	Nana-Zucca
Spirit of America.....	Gillette-Spangler
	Mixed Chorus

A quite similar program was presented jointly with the Oakes choral groups the following evening, Friday, May 21, at the Oakes high school auditorium. Professor Rowland was also guest conductor at this performance which served in a measure as a substitute for the annual Dickey-LaMoure Choral Festival.

Other events in which either the boys' or girls' glee clubs participated were Senior Speech Night, an American Legion-Auxiliary program, a Community Club dinner and various assembly gatherings. The chorus served as a nucleus for school "sings" throughout the year. Music for the baccalaureate service and for graduation exercises was also furnished by the choral groups.

Serving as accompanists for the year have been Gladys Schmidt, Owen Amphlett, and Phyllis Johnson.

The personnel of the Glee Clubs and Chorus follows:

Seniors

Owen Amphlett	Llewellyn Lynde
Ruth Beecher	Lynette Mattheis
Muriel Carlson	Laurence Mellang
Benny Graham	Avis Naze
Kenneth Heine	Marjorie Noess
Kenneth Hess	Ervin Sand
Norma Johnson	Martin Steinwand
Eddie Kuch	Dorothy Strand
Lowell Klatt	Victor Strand

Harold Stucker
Doris Vasvick
Ardyth Watkins

Inez Watkins
Delvin Zinter

Juniors

Phyllis Christensen	Marilyn Pfeifer
Robert Coleman	Billy Randall
Ellen Davis	Virginia Reukauf
Marion Durheim	Dorothy Schmidt
Judith Gessner	Gladys Schmidt
Francis Gibson	Keith Sehnert
Luella Hokana	Shirley Sharp
Phyllis Johnson	Esther Speidel
Adeline Klipfel	Louise Strand
Orrin Morrow	Frances Tuchscher
Kenneth Muske	Clayton Voegeli
Shirley Neer	Esther West
Beverly Ortner	

Sophomores

John Blumer	Harvey Senecal
Monty Brouillard	Neil Smith
Bob Dillingham	Adele Voegeli
Janie Duncan	Shirley Voegeli
Bethel Harm	Gordon Wallen
Delores Hokana	Shirley Wanttie
Shirley Holsinger	Mildred Wietala
Lorna Jenkins	Delia Whelan
Lester Klatt	Howard DeYapp
Jack Roland	Merton Zinter
Lorraine Sand	

Freshmen

Lillian Benderwald	Annie Lawson
Billie Bowman	June Lawson
Malcolm Goddard	Wayne Merrick
Delores Green	Gladys Schmidt
Everett Harm	Ruth Senecal
Jacqueline Holsinger	Barton Slemmons
Iona Kuch	

BAND

At the beginning of the school year the band was under the direction of Mr. Robert Sheppard, sixth grade instructor. As school started late and there were many absences the band was slow in getting under way. As there were no home football games at a suitable time the band did not have a chance to perform at any games. Rehearsals, however, went on as usual and preparations were made for a pre-Christmas concert. Mr. Sheppard was due to leave for the army signal corps shortly after Christmas and it was decided that the band should stage a concert before he left. The concert was held on Tuesday, December 15, when, assisted by the girls' glee club, the following program was given:

America.....	arr. Carey
Wings of the Army.....	King
Down in the Forest (Overture).....	Jarrett
Liberty Fleet.....	King
Caissons Go Rolling Along.....	Gruber
Selections - Girls' Glee Club	
Iron Count.....	King
God Bless America.....	Berlin
Cherry Waltz.....	Parnell
United Nations.....	King
Star Spangled Banner.....	arr. Smith

Since Christmas the band has been directed by Rev. K. O. Lee. Under his direction the group prepared music for basketball games and did an excellent job of pepping up players and spectators with lively marches. To bring the basketball season to an end, the band and twirlers went to Edgeley to the sub-district tournament where their services were much appreciated.

Due to the war, the traditional band festival, which would have been held in Ellendale this year, had to be cancelled. However, a

joint concert was arranged with Oakes which somewhat made up for the festival. This program was held May 7 with the following program:

Joint Band Concert

America.....	arr. Panella
March of the Champions.....	Huffer
Americana Overture.....	Buchtel
Cheerio.....	Goldman
Chapel Shrine - Reverie.....	Leoni
American Patrol.....	Meacham
E. Pluribus Unum (March).....	Jewell
A Night In June.....	King
Officer of the Day.....	Hall
American Youth Overture.....	Pettee
Lights Out - March.....	McCoy

Personnel of Band:

Senior Band

CLARINETS	TRUMPETS
Keith Sehnert	Neil Smith
Robert Coleman	Jack Roland
Phyllis Christensen	Monty Brouillard
Ellen Davis	Harold Stucker
Virginia Reukauf	Vivian Huber
Billy Randall	Shirley Holsinger
Barton Slemmons	Wayne Merrick
Kenneth Muske	BARITONES
Jackie Holsinger	Willis Fleming
Warren Merrick	Marilyn Pfeifer
Ardys Johnson	DRUMS
	Malcolm Goddard
	Rose Tuchscher

Junior Band

Charles Anderson	ALTOS
Sebastian Tuchscher	Oswald Barsten
Delores Fiske	Kenneth Heine
Ardys Johnson	Avis Naze
Wilton Barsten	TROMBONES
Frances Tuchscher	Owen Amphlett
Harvey Senecal	John Blumer
Rose Tuchscher	Frances Tuchscher
Joan Thorberg	BASS
	Harvey Senecal

Music Awards

The band pin, first presented in E. H. S. last year and which may be earned by effective and faithful membership in the band for all four years in high school, was this year awarded to Owen Amphlett, Avis Naze, and Harold Stucker.

The general music pin, awarded to those who have earned fifty points in various types of music activity, was presented to Owen Amphlett, Avis Naze, Keith Sehnert, and Harold Stucker.

The music lyre, a felt emblem, given for achievement in chorus and glee club, was awarded to Ruth Beecher, Benny Graham, Phyllis Christensen, Phyllis Johnson, Orrin Morrow, Shirley Neer, William Randall, and Dorothy Schmidt. This award was presented last year to the following seniors: Owen Amphlett, Kenneth Hess, Eddie Kuch, Laurence Mellang, Avis Naze, Martin Steinwand, and Victor Strand.

Twirlers

The new majorette, Iona Kuch, and six twirlers, Luella Hokana, Dorothy Schmidt, Shirley Neer, Phyllis Johnson, Shirley Voegeli, and Lillian Benderwald, have done a fine piece of work this year. The group has added much color to our athletic events. Their outstanding performance was at the tournament at Edgeley.

Football Team



Front row—N. Smith, E. Kuch, B. Graham, C. Voegeli, D. Porter, H. Stucker, C. Mattheis. Middle row—G. Walleen, R. Graham, L. Klatt, K. Sehnert, C. Merrick, B. DeYapp, E. Sand, V. Strand. Last row—Coach Jimmy Meachen, B. Dillingham, D. Juberg, W. Lile, J. Blumer, C. Fey, F. Gibson, K. Heine and B. Coleman, the student managers.

ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL

Oakes	18	Ellendale	0
Lisbon	7	Ellendale	0
Enderlin	6	Ellendale	0

This fall about 25 candidates reported for practice under the new coach, Jimmy Meachen, the successor of Coach Jack Ehlers, who is now at Britton High School. Mr. Meachen was assisted by Jimmy Miles, former student of Ellendale High and a senior at the University of North Dakota.

The lettermen returning were Victor Strand, Benny Graham, Randall Graham, Raymond Aberle, and Ervin Sand.

Coach Meachen was at a disadvantage because most of the players were helping with threshing; therefore, the team got off to a late start. The team was scheduled to play five games, but because of weather conditions and shortage of farm help, only three were played. No games were won but the members of the team did learn the spirit of cooperation and sportsmanship, which is so necessary in the world of today.

At the annual football banquet letters were awarded to the following: Benny Graham, Victor Strand, Randall Graham, Ervin Sand, Eddie Kuch, Harold Stucker, Clayton Voegeli, Calvin Mattheis, Charles Merrick, Keith Sehnert, Bobby Dillingham, John Blumer, Clarence Fey, and Howard DeYapp. Bobby Coleman was given a letter for his fine work as student manager.

After the banquet, an election was held in

which Randall Graham was elected Honor Athlete for the season of 1942, and Victor Strand was elected Honorary Captain. Randall was presented with a gold football, a gift from Coach Meachen and Superintendent Ingvalson.

BASKETBALL

Coach Chester Seivert had 29 candidates out for the first basketball practice. Heading the squad were five returning lettermen, Eddie Kuch, Charles Fleming, Ernest King, Benny Graham, and Clayton Voegeli.

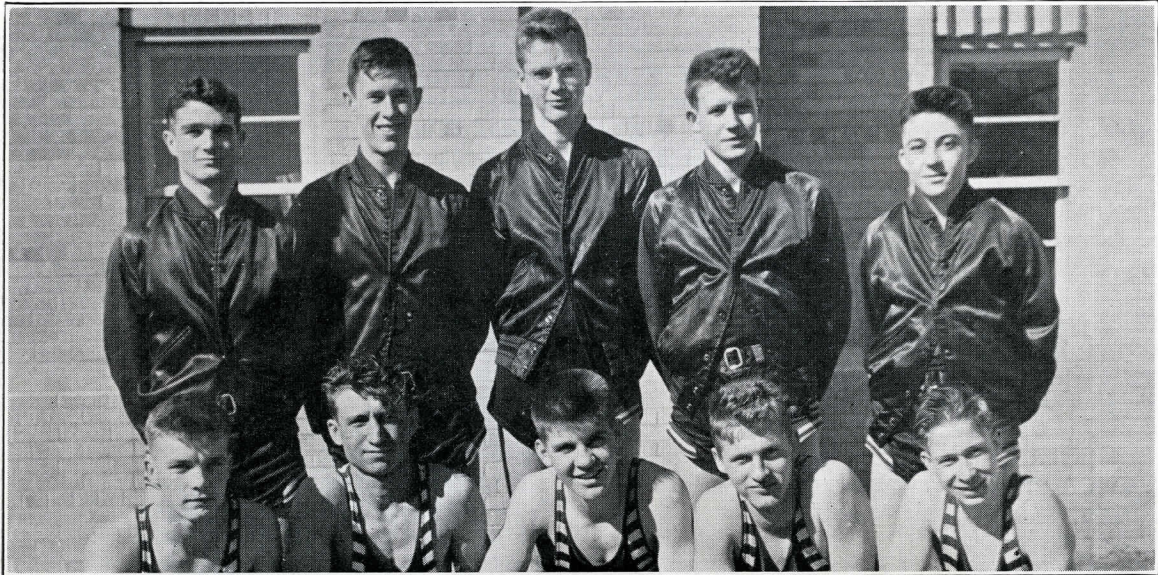
After two weeks Coach Seivert rounded into shape the first team, composed of Ernest King, Clayton Voegeli, Eddie Kuch at forwards; Bob Dillingham at center; and Benny Graham and Howard DeYapp at guard positions. Outstanding subs who saw plenty of action were John Blumer, Orrin Morrow, and Keith Sehnert.

On the whole, the basketball season was very successful. The team won second place in the sub-district tournament at Edgeley, getting beat by its friendly rival, Oakes, in the final game. A new trophy was brought home and placed in the trophy case.

Those awarded letters were Benny Graham, Eddie Kuch, Ernest King, Bobby Dillingham, Howard DeYapp, Clayton Voegeli, John Blumer, and Orrin Morrow. Kenneth Heine was awarded a letter as student manager.

The team wishes to thank everybody for the fine spirit they showed in taking them to the games even though it was hard to get tires

Basketball Team



Back row—E. Kuch, K. Sehnert, J. Blumer, O. Morrow, M. Brouillard. Front row—H. DeYapp, C. Voegeli, R. Dillingham, B. Graham, E. King.

and gas. They also wish to thank the people in Ellendale for their fine support at the Edgeley tournament. Credit should also go to the cheer leaders, Muriel Carlson, Ruth Beecher, and Owen Amphlett, for the fine support they gave at all home games and at the tournament.

We, the senior athletes, wish to extend our appreciation to Coach Seivert, who worked hard and faithfully throughout the basketball season. We think Coach Seivert a grand guy and wish him plenty of luck and success next year.

Ellendale	24	Kulm	21
Ellendale	33	Ashley	36
Ellendale	20	Kulm	25
Ellendale	14	Oakes	27
Ellendale	12	La Moure ..	18
Ellendale	23	Ashley	21
Ellendale	28	Lisbon	23
Ellendale	23	Britton	29
Ellendale	18	La Moure ..	27
Ellendale	32	Oakes	52
Ellendale	26	Hecla	24
Ellendale	40	Edgeley	18
Ellendale	12	Edgeley	10
Ellendale	33	Hecla	36

SUB-DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Edgeley, February 26 and 27

First Game

Ellendale 22 St. Johns .. 20

Semi-Finals

Ellendale 27 Kulm 15

Final

Ellendale 27 Oakes 35

In the first game of the tournament St. Johns Academy was beaten by a score of 22-20. This game was very close throughout. With

St. Johns leading by three points with but one minute to play, the Cards came through to win, advancing to the semi-finals, playing Kulm the next morning. The team had quite an easy time beating Kulm, leading their opponents throughout the game. Thus Ellendale won the right to play in the finals against Oakes in the evening.

Oakes had advanced to the semi-finals by drawing a bye, and had beaten Edgeley. The first half was close and at the end of the half the score stood 13 all. In the third quarter Oakes went on a scoring spree, which put them ahead 31-16 when the third quarter whistle sounded. The Cards put on a determined rally in the fourth quarter but failed to overcome the lead. At the end of the game the score was 27-35 in Oakes' favor.

SENIOR ATHLETES

Kenneth Heine—"Heine," as a junior, started to manage the team under Kenneth Isaak. While the team got all the compliments and honor, Heine did all the work. We, the senior athletes, wish to thank him for all he has done for us.

Randall Graham—"Smelly" went out for football for three years and earned that many letters, playing the left guard position. He was elected Honor Athlete in his senior year. Randall was a basketball enthusiast and played a good game of tennis. Randall always proved himself a good sport and a clean athlete.

Victor Strand—"Wicks" went out for football for four years and earned three letters. Elected Honorary Captain in his senior year, he played center for three years and was always a valuable asset to the team. Although

not a letter-man in basketball, he played three years and gave loyal support to the team. In track Victor went out for the shot-put and discus.

Ervin Sand—"Sands" was also a three-year letter-man. In his junior year he was elected to the "all-conference" team as left tackle. His weight and speed made him one of the most aggressive tackles the high school has ever had.

Benjamin Graham—"Benny," another three-year letter-man, went out for football for four years. He played left half during his sophomore and junior year. By that time he had become a valuable and accomplished blocking back. In his senior year he was elected to carry the ball most of the time and proved to be just as good at that as at blocking. He was also out for basketball for four years and earned three letters. In the position of defensive guard, Benny proved himself as good and as steady in basketball as in football.

Eddie Kuch—"Cookie" earned two letters in basketball and one in football, the latter emblem in his senior year at the end position. Basketball was his favorite sport. This year he was switched from guard to forward and did a good job at both.

Harold Stucker—"Stick." Although having earned but one letter in football, Harold was an enthusiastic and energetic player through-

out his entire school year. He could "take it" and also "dish it out," thus proving himself a top-string athlete. "Stick" played right guard in both football and basketball. In track he went out for the mile, the half-mile, and the quarter-mile.

Raymond Aberle—"Ray" earned letters in both football and basketball in his junior year, but because of a back injury was unable to participate in either sport this year. If he had, he would undoubtedly have earned a letter. Already a track letter-man, he is in line for another emblem this year. He went out for the mile, the half-mile, and the quarter-mile.

Charles Merrick—"Bud," playing fullback in football this year, earned a letter. He proved himself a very good punter and runner. He started playing basketball this year and had chances to make the team but left school to go to Washington.

Charles Fleming—"Hawk" earned one letter in basketball, playing at center. Because of work, he did not have time to take part in football this year. He was an ardent supporter of all sports and we were sorry to see him leave Ellendale.

Lowell Klatt—"Klatt" came to E. H. S. this year from Barnard, South Dakota. He went out for both football and basketball. He showed that he had the spirit and sportsmanship that make a good athlete.

SPEECH AND DRAMATICS

(Concluded from page 5)

Uncle George, Hargrove's brother-in-law who enjoys bad health.....Laurence Mellang
Mrs. Kelso, a neighbor.....Doris Basvick
Benford Hargrove, the son of draft age.....Melvin Nelson
Tony Cravetti, a sailor in the U. S. Navy.....Randall Graham
Gale Hargrove, a girl in love with Tony.....Dorothy Strand
Bob Cushing, the son-in-law.....Harold Stucker
Lola Cushing, Bob's wife.....Avis Naze
Carl Fredericks, a friend of Benford's.....Kenneth Hess
Mrs. Harrigan, another neighbor.....Ardyth Watkins
Ann Linton, Benford's sweetheart.....Muriel Carlson

Masonic Essay Contest

All juniors and seniors wrote essays on the subject selected by the Masonic lodge, "How We Can Serve Our Country in This Hour of Crisis," as part of their English work.

Avis Naze, Phyllis Johnson, and Raymond Aberle were chosen by local judges as the highest ranking in the order named. These winners in the local contest read their essays at a meeting of the lodge.

Avis Naze's essay, which was first in the District Contest, was sent to Jamestown to be entered in the regional contest.

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